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1.	X	This is a FIRST submission of	items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 3	/1.
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3.	X	This is an express request to be	egin national examination procedures (35 U.S. n of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C.	2. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).
4.	×	A proper Demand for Internation	onal Preliminary Examination was made by t	the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.
5.	×	A copy of the International App	plication as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c) (2))	
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6.		A translation of the Internation	nal Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
7. 7. 8.	X	A copy of the International Sea	arch Report (PCT/ISA/210).	(alo 10 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3))
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4 9.		A translation of the amendme	inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)).	
10. 11. 12.		An oath or declaration of the	eliminary Examination Report (PCT/IPEA/4	09).
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12.		(35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).		
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14.		An assignment document for	recording. A separate cover sheet in complia	ance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
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